





## Steamboat Inspection.

The important question of steamboat inspection is one which will be directly affected by Confederation, falling, as it does, within the scope of Federal functions. A little information upon the subject may, therefore, be useful to our local readers. Under the Act 81 Vic, Chap. 65, entitled, "An Act respecting the Inspection of Steamboats and for the greater safety of passengers by them," provision is made for the annual inspection by Government inspectors of steamboats which may be owned or registered in the Dominion of Canada, navigating the waters of Canada, and departing from or arriving at any port or place in Canada. The inspectors are appointed by the Governor-General in Council and are required to be skilled persons, competent to inspect steamboats, their machinery and boilers. These inspectors form a Board, with one of their number as Chairman, nominated by the Governor-General. They meet at such places as may be agreed upon for the transaction of business, for the examination of engineers, and granting licenses to them, and for such other purposes as may be necessary under the Act. Any regulations made by the Board cannot come into operation until approved by the Governor-General in Council. Any person claiming to perform the duties of an engineer in such steamboats must be examined by the Board and, if found qualified, will receive a certificate according to his grade, and if any person employs an engineer, or any person serves as an engineer on board such steamboats without the necessary certificate, he shall incur a penalty of \$200. A fee of \$5, is charged engineers who have been examined for the first time on receiving their certificate of capability, and for an annual renewal of such certificates a fee of \$1 is exacted. A fee is charged by the Government of \$5, for vessels of one hundred tons burthen, and under, and \$8, for vessels over that size, and a tonnage duty of 10 cents per ton on all steamers is charged in addition to the fees alluded to. These charges are not intended for revenue purposes, but merely to meet the expenses of inspection. The Chairman of the Board receives a salary of \$1,400, and the inspectors of Divisions receive \$800 each. British Columbia will doubtless be created a Division under the Act, with an inspector over it, who will, however, need to be paid something more than \$800 a year. The extension of this very efficient and complete system of steamboat inspection to British Columbia will be regarded with no little satisfaction, as it is to be feared that such matters have been loosely dealt with in the past. We could wish to see the system extended so as to embrace steam fire engines, from the reckless and unskilled management of which the most serious consequences might be apprehended.

## Partizan Journalism.

It is astonishing, it is distressing, to observe the length to which the Toronto *Globe* has recently sacrificed truth and decency to mere partizanship. In so far as the present administration is concerned, it appears to hold the ancient doctrine that nothing good can come out of Nazareth. In its eyes every act of the Government is either intrinsically or relatively bad, and the administration never comes in for more unmeasured abuse than when carrying out the very schemes which have had the advocacy of the *Globe*. Indeed, it would appear to have reached that condition of morbid egotism which can discover good in nothing beyond itself. If one might be permitted to compare extremely small things with great, the *Globe* would appear to have a "chick" in our midst. Falling as much below it in every attribute which goes to make up a newspaper as the most insignificant star which twinkles through space falls below the sun, the organ of the Victoria Communist would yet seem to outstrip its great archetype in the spirit of factious illnature. Happily for British Columbia, its power for mischief is extremely limited. Not so, however, in the case of the *Globe*. Conducted with great vigor, characterized by more than ordinary literary ability, enjoying an immense circulation, it wields a power which, if misdirected, is capable of accomplishing great mischief, a power which, well directed, might accomplish untold good. It has been a matter of profound regret that the *Globe* should have fallen into such bad habits at a time when there is so much need of a united and patriotic press—united in the grand scheme of empire. "Like master like man." The *Globe's* staff of correspondents appear to imitate the spirit of their master. We have a striking illustration of this in a late number of that paper, wherein its Manitoba correspondent gives one of the most maliciously unfair descriptions of the state of affairs in that Province that could well be conceived. Lieut. Governor Archibald, in reality a most excellent man and successful administrator, is, of course, a very bad man because a Nazarene, and the *Globe* goes for him accordingly. The following, taken from a letter written by the *Globe's* correspondent at Fort Garry, will amuse the reader, while it will, at the same time, serve to illustrate the length to which the parasites of the paper in question carry their abominable spirit of misrepresentation. Lieutenant Governor Archibald is represented as commanding the presence of one of the hands employed in the printing office

of the *New Letter*, a satellite of the *Globe*, and the following dialogue is said to have taken place:—  
"The Lieut. Governor—I sent for you to know who wrote those blackguardly articles against me which appeared in the *New Letter*?"  
The Printer—"I am merely a printer in the office, and cannot say anything about them."  
The Lieut. Governor, insinuatingly—"But you know who wrote them?"  
The Printer—"Yes sir; I know who wrote them, but I could not tell you nor any one else. The printer should never reveal what goes on in the office."  
Lieut. Governor (in a bullying shape).—"Then you refuse to tell me sir?"  
Printer—"Yes; I refuse to tell."  
Lieut. Governor—"I will tell you why I sent for you. It was quite understood between Dr. Schultz and myself before he left for Ottawa, that no more articles should appear against me in the *New Letter* and I have word from Ottawa that Dr. Schultz has come to the same understanding with the Government there. I am confident that the blackguardly articles to which I now refer would not have appeared were the Doctor here, now I want you to promise that nothing more will appear against me until the Doctor's return."  
Printer—"I cannot promise anything, as I have nothing to do with writing articles for the paper. I have to print them when they are handed to me."

Mr C A. NOLTEMER has returned from San Francisco with a splendid assortment of boots and shoes of the latest styles, which he will sell at low prices. Boots made to order and warranted to fit. Repairing neatly done.—Government street, next to the St Nicholas Hotel.

## New Advertisements.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Re the Bankruptcy Act, 1862, and in the Matter of David Cameron a Bankrupt.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1862, and in the Matter of David Cameron a Bankrupt. His second examination, notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Honorable Court at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday, the 9th day of August next, on behalf of the above-named bankrupt, for his Order of Discharge.

Solicitor to the Bankrupt, Jy15

**The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**

HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCKLEIGH AND QUEEN. BERRY, K. G.

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COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY:  
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**J. Crossen's VARIETY STORE**  
YATES ST., near Reynolds' Butcher Shop.

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF BOOTS & Shoes, Boys' Clothing, Hats & Caps, Toys, Looking Glasses, Cutlery and a variety of miscellaneous goods which will be sold cheaper than at any other house in town. Jy14

## JUST RECEIVED,

Ex ROBERT JONES, FROM LONDON.

MALT VINEGAR, in cases and 2 gal. jars  
CURRIE POWDER, in ¼ and ½ pints  
FINE TURKEY FIGS, in tins  
TAYLOR'S MUSTARD, in ½ lb tins  
CANDIED PEEL, Orange, Lemon & Citron  
SAGO and TAPIOCA, in tins  
WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, Lea & Perrins'  
LIVERPOOL SALT, coarse and fine

—ALSO—

Ex Robert Cowan & Camden, fm S. I.

SUGARS, Nos 1 and 2  
MOLASSES, No 1

Ex PRINCE ALFRED, from S. F.

LAYER RAISINS  
CHINA RICE, No 1

And a general assortment of GROCERIES which I offer to the trade at the Lowest Market Rates.

JULES RUEFF, Wharf St. Jy14

## FOR SALE

BY THE UNDERSIGNED,

Ex Late Arrivals

AND NOW LANDING PER

Robert Jones

IRON, in bars, rods, sheets, hoops, &c, all sizes

HORSE SHOE IRON, best brands

STEEL, toe, cock, pick, &c

TINNED & ENAMELED SAUCEPANS

HORSE and MULE SHOES

FILES, BORAX, ANVILS, VICES

AXLES, all sizes

BRUSHWARE

SPRINGS, elliptic and side

SPADES & FORKS

TIN PLATE & ZINC

MANILLA ROPE

BEAVER TRAPS

GALVANIZED IRON

LEAD PIPE

WHITE LEAD

And a great variety of General Hardware

ALFRED FELLOWS, 24 & 26 YATES STREET. Jy14

## New Advertisements.



## PUBLIC WORKS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until noon of the 29th inst. for the erection of a Truss Bridge across the Chilliwack river and another across Luk a Luk river, in New Westminster district.  
Plans and Specifications to be seen at the Lands & Works office at New Westminster and Victoria.  
Tenders will be required for faithful completion of Contract. The Government does not pledge itself to accept the lowest or any tender.  
Lands & Works Department, B. W. PEARSE, Jy14  
Victoria, B.C., July 13, 1871.

Reid's Omineca Express

VIA SKEENA RIVER,

WILL MAKE SEMI-MONTHLY TRIPS from the Forks of Skeena to Garmann Creek.

LETTERS directed to any part of the Omineca Mines via Forks of Skeena, per Reid's Express, will be forwarded with dispatch. P. REID, Jy14daw  
Forks of Skeena, July 14, 1871.

## For Wholesale Trade

MANIFEST OF

BARK ROBERT JONES.

—FOR—

J. H. TURNER & CO

Wharf and Government streets

10 Cases DRESS GOODS & FLANNELS

8 Cases CLOTHING

1 Case LINENS

5 Cases COTTON GOODS

6 Cases HABERDASHERY

1 Case MILLINERY

2 Cases BAGS

1 Case FELT HATS

1 Case QUILTS

1 Case FANCY GOODS

1 Case PAINTINGS

1 Case PERFUMERY

2 Cases BISCUITS & PROVISIONS

2 Cases LEAD PIPE

1 Case SAFETY FUSE

1 Case BABBITTS METAL

2 Cases METALLIC ANTIMONY

10 Slabs TIN

8 Slabs ZINC

2 Cases GALVANIZED IRON

4 Cases ZINO

18 Dozen IRON BUCKETS

6 Cases STEEL

445 Bars IRON

45 Bels IRON Jy13 2w

## JUST RECEIVED.

Per Barque "CAMDEN"

From Honolulu S. I.

200 kegs best No 1 Waihee Sugar

50 kegs best No 2 Waihee Sugar

50 kegs best No 2 Pioneer Sugar

50 kegs best No 3 Sugar

50 blbs, No 1 Molasses.

For Sale Low by

A. CASSAMAYOU & CO., Yates Street. Jy11

## Ex Bark CAMDEN

AND BRIG ROBERT COWAN.

SUGARS & MOLASSES

NOS. 1 AND 2,

For sale by JANION, RHODES & CO. Jy13

## TROPICAL FRUITS,

EX ROBERT COWAN.

PINE APPLES

ORANGES

BANANAS

COCOANUTS

PUMPKINS

LIMES, &c.

ALSO—A splendid assortment of

ISLAND FRUIT IN GREAT VARIETY.

FOR SALE AT

TOWNSEND'S MARKET,

FORT STREET, next door to Fell & Finlayson's.

A good supply of POULTRY of all descriptions always on hand and GAME in season. Jy13

## NOTICE.

HAVING CHARTERED THE STEAMER Emma for the whaling season the undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew without his written order. JOSEPH SPART, Jy12

Robert T. Williams,

PRACTICAL BOOKBINDER AND

RULER, At T N HIBBEN & Co's Government St.

RECEIVES BY EVERY STEAMER

constant additions to his already large stock of first class leather.

MAGAZINES, NEWSPAPERS, &c,

Bound in the best English Cloth or Morocco, with Gilt Edges. Paper ruled to any desired pattern. Jy12

California White Wine

—AND—

RED WINE

Bonneron Claret.

FOR SALE BY

LOWE, STAHLSCHEIDT & CO, Wharf street. Jy11

EX "CAMDEN,"

FROM HONOLULU.

SUGARS,

VARIOUS GRADES:

MOLASSES,

BEST QUALITY.

For sale in lots to suit Purchasers by

J ROBERTSON STEWART, Wharf street. Jy11

## New Advertisements.

## GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Colony of British Columbia and its dependencies, taken from the several Weekly Statements for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1871.

LIABILITIES	ASSETS
Notes in Circulation..... \$123,600	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver..... \$116,108 98
Deposits due to other Banks and Branches..... 10,358 69	Gold and Silver Bullion..... 55,880 78
Deposits not bearing Interest..... \$136,414 64	Landed and other Property..... 48,800 66
Deposits bearing Interest..... 49,610 13	Deposits due from other Banks and Branches..... 56,712 03
	All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange and all Stock and Panded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due from other Banks and Branches..... 897,574 06
Total amount of Liabilities..... \$324,989 96	Total amount of Assets..... \$324,989 11
Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1871..... \$1,400,000	
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders..... 6 3/4 cent per annum and bonus of 1 3/4 cent	
Amount of last dividend declared..... \$4,700 00	
Amount of reserved profit at time of declaring such dividend..... \$4,250 00	
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.	CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.
VICTORIA, B. C., 30th June, 1871.	

I, William Curtis Ward, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Colony, of the Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 5th day of July, 1871. WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Jy6 (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

## Shipping.

For Valparaiso Direct.

THE BARK CORNELIS, CAPT

Booy, will sail for the above port on July 20th.

She can accommodate 4 cabin and 4 steerage passengers. For particulars apply to J NAULE, Shipping Agent. Jy13

## RATES OF FREIGHT

BY THE STARR COMPY

LINE OF STEAMERS

From Olympia to Victoria:

CATTLE.....\$4 00 PER HEAD

SHEEP..... 50 DO

HOGS..... 50 DO

HORSES..... 5 00 DO

MERCHANDISE (1st and 2d

CLASS).....\$2 to \$4 PER TON

FROM OR TO ANY POINTS ON

THE SOUND.....\$2 to \$3 PER TON

E. A. STARR, Jy13

## THE "LEVIATHAN" FOR SAN JUAN

ISLAND.

THE STEAM YACHT LEVIATHAN, Capt Baker, will make regular

trips between Victoria and the English

and American Camps

Every Tuesday and Friday at 8 a. m.

RETURNING ON WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY.

Carrying Passengers and Freight to and from Brock's Wharf, foot of Johnson street. Jy9 1m

## Bark Cornelis, from San Francisco.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR

he Hastings Mill Company will be responsible

for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel. JANION, RHODES & CO. Jy14

## British Bark Robert Jones, fm London

CONSIGNEES BY THE ABOVE VESSEL

are requested to call at the office of the undersigned,

pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

Any merchandise left on the wharf after 6 o'clock

each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the consignee. JANION, RHODES & CO. Jy8

## FOR SALE AND INTERMEDIATE

LANDINGS ON FRASER RIVER.

STEAMER LILLOOET

Will leave NEW WESTMINSTER on Wednesdays and

Saturdays, until further notice.

N.B.—The above steamer will not be responsible for

cargo of liquids shipped in tins or glass. Jy18 1f

## LD. LOWENBERG

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

Government street, near corner of Broughton

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION

to selling, purchasing and leasing property, to

negotiating loans and transacting everything connected

with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the island may be

seen at this office. Particulars of purchasing home

steads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin

Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farmhouse of

Gardening Land in every District; some of which afford

revenue and investment. Money on bond and mortgage to loan, in sum to suit

the demands. Conveyances of every description done at reason-

able rates. JANION, RHODES & CO. Jy14 1m

## EX "CAMDEN,"



## Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

## ENTERED.

July 16.—Str North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend  
 Slip Ocean Queen, Dick, San Juan  
 Str Prince Alfred, Sholl, Nanaimo

## CLEARED.

July 16.—Str North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend  
 Slip Ocean Queen, Dick, San Juan  
 Str Prince Alfred, Sholl, San Francisco  
 Str Isabel, Clancy, Nanaimo

## NEWS! NEWS!

The "British Colonist" is the only Newspaper published at Victoria that receives the Latest Telegraphic Dispatches, as a comparison will prove. Late Telegrams appearing in any other paper are copied without credit 24 hours after they have appeared in the British Colonist. The circulation of the British Colonist being greater than that of any other Paper, it offers the best medium to Advertisers.

The fatal and mysterious horse disease, to which frequent reference has been made in our Exclusive Dispatches, has so far baffled veterinary talent in the country and was yesterday reported to be extending. It originally made its appearance among the horses owned by the Third Avenue Railroad Company, of New York, and to say the least is very peculiar. The affection takes the poor beasts in the legs and hinders parts. The legs first grow stiff and unmanageable. In a few minutes they become completely paralyzed and the horse falls down and evidently suffers the most acute agony. Unless immediately attended to it lingers in great agony and then dies. Some have recovered, but they only had a milder form of the disease—a mere weakness of the hind legs, which passed off in a few hours.

THE TWENTIETH.—The U S S Saranac, flagship of Admiral Winkler, is expected at Esquimalt on the 18th from Sitka, and with it M S Zolowich, on the 20th, fire a salute in honor of the nuptials of Canada and British Columbia. The Mechanics' Literary Institute, we understand, will charter the Enterprise to take excursionists to both flagships in the morning, returning early in the afternoon for a hop at Medane's Grove. Taken all in all, there is likely to be a lively and interesting time on the occasion of the birth of a nation without shedding a drop of blood.

THE RIOTS OVER.—The riots at New York are over. The mob seem to have been almost helpless in the presence of the soldiers after the latter had opened fire upon them, and the worst of the story is that many innocent persons suffered with the guilty. The assassination of Mrs York and daughter equals in atrocity the worst scenes of the closing hours of the Commune of Paris. Governor Hoffman is blamed—and we think justly—for not having issued his proclamation before.

THE \$100 NOTE FOUND.—Mr Hamber has found his lost \$100 bank note; at least Mr E Verdier, farmer of South Saanich, picked it up in front of Duolop's stables on Saturday, shortly after it was dropped, and took it home with him. On Wednesday he read the advertisement in The Colonist and yesterday came to town and delivered it to Mr Hamber; who, wishing to show his appreciation of an honest man, presented Mr Verdier with the handsome sum of \$25. There is nothing like advertising, especially in a paper so universally read as THE COLONIST.

PRESENTATION.—Capt E A Starr, of the str North Pacific, was yesterday the recipient of a handsome gold watch-box, suitably inscribed, the gift of Governor Musgrave, as a token of His Excellency's appreciation of the Captain's kindness and courtesy while on the late excursion to the other side. The Captain, being a smoker, will doubtless appreciate the present as an article of real utility as well as a souvenir of a very pleasant event.

SAANICH MAIL SERVICE.—The people of Saanich complain, and we are disposed to think justly, of the manner in which the mail service is performed during the summer. The mail carrier, it appears, goes out to Wain's in the morning, returning the same day, thus affording no opportunity of answering letters that week. If he would remain over night at Wain's, as is done in winter, the difficulty would be obviated. We trust the department will see to this matter at once.

PASSENGERS GONE.—The following named passengers were booked by the Prince Alfred last evening:—Mrs W Lenz, L B Bosowitz, Miss Simoo, Mrs E A H De Wolfe, Mrs A E Clarke, Miss Ella H De Wolfe, Capt A K P Glidden, J B Stewart, W A Loring, M Camassa, E Hindman, Mrs A Martre, H Stewart, S W Tanson, wife and two children, A Fraser.

THE TWENTIETH AT NANAIMO.—We are glad to learn that it is the intention of the loyal people of Nanaimo to observe the Twentieth as a general holiday. Arrangements have been made for holding a grand picnic on that day under the auspices of the Episcopal Sabbath School. The people of Nanaimo are going to shame the Capital.

NEWCASTLE QUARRY.—Probably few of our readers have even an approximate idea of the superior character of the stone taken out of the Newcastle Quarry, at Nanaimo. One of the front pillars for the San Francisco Mint, was quarried last week. The stone is 4 feet square, 27 feet long and weighs 25 tons.

THE COWICHANS intend to enjoy themselves on the 20th and set an example of patriotism to guide Victorians on succeeding anniversaries. There will be horse races and athletic sports in the day time and a ball in the evening.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH had the lavine from Gowen's brewery down washed out with clean water the other evening, and yesterday a person could manage to get by without feeling as if he were going to turn inside out. Chloride of lime, gentlemen; there's nothing like it, except chloride of lime, for abating a nuisance.

TREASURE SHIPMENT.—The following amounts were shipped through Wells, Fargo & Co yesterday: Wells, Fargo & Co, \$22,164 63; Bank British North America, \$24,211 23; Bank British Columbia, \$29,701 12.—Total \$76,076 99.

COAL SEAM DISCOVERED.—We learn that Mr Oloak, North Saanich, recently discovered a coal seam on his farm which presents a very favorable appearance. As soon as the summer work is over he intends prospecting it.

HARVEST.—The farmers in the Districts around Victoria are all busy with their harvesting, most of which is being done by machinery, thus indicating the progress of the country. The crops everywhere look well.

SUDDEN ILLNESS.—Dr Nicholles, an old and respected citizen, was yesterday seized with a fit at his residence and lay dangerously ill last evening. The Doctor is upwards of 80 years of age.

EN ROUTE.—Hon J W Trutch, accompanied by Mrs Trutch and Assistant Colonial Secretary Good, left Ottawa for British Columbia on Wednesday.

VOTERS.—There are 26 voters on the North Saanich list, and 30 on the list for South Saanich. In neither case has a single objection been entered.

PRICING.—Readers must not forget the Craigflower Pic Nic to-day. The object is a worthy one—to advance which everybody ought to assist.

THE PRINCE ALFRED arrived at an early hour yesterday morning at Esquimalt, having 755 tons of coal on board, and sailed last evening at 6 o'clock for San Francisco.

PASSENGERS COMING.—See the California's list of passengers for Victoria in our Exclusive Dispatch to-day.

FARM SOLD.—Mr P Fitorie has purchased the Shepherd Farm in Lake District and will engage in farming.

THE STEAMER Sir James Douglas will leave on Tuesday and return on Wednesday next week.

THE HORSE FIELDS are looking exceedingly well and promise an abundant crop.

THE ISABEL has gone to Nanaimo to bring down coal for the North Pacific's use.

THE NORTH PACIFIC sailed yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock for ports on Puget Sound.

TRISTLES are springing up everywhere, and no effort is made to enforce the bylaw.

THE BARK Robert Jones, will go to Arica.

## The Standard-bearer on the Rampage.

From the Cariboo Sentinel July 1st.

Some few weeks ago we took occasion to find fault with the dictatorial course pursued by the Victoria Standard in regard to certain comments passed upon the actions of this journal. We headed our article on the occasion 'Impudence.' This word our contemporary objects to, and in an article published since remarks that we possessed 'evidently only a pocket edition of Webster and consequently were short of words to head our articles.' Now, we generally try to be as concise as possible and call things by their proper names; we see no use in beating round the bush for some long-winded phrase to express our thoughts when one simple word will express the purpose; and if our contemporary, who doubtless possesses an edition of Webster unabridged instead of a pocket one, will pursue that valuable work, he will find among other meanings given for the word 'impudence,' 'assurance, accompanied with a disregard of the opinions of others'—and if that does not offend the Standard we are very much mistaken. In our article of 3d June, we asserted that we had never advocated the Civil List Bill or opposed it, but that we could see nothing in it to warrant the terms in which it had been denounced, or to justify any journal or individual in falsely asserting that it 'added sixty officials on the country who could only be removed when pensioned,' and we at the same time denounced the professional agitators who we believe, were trying to make political capital out of a trifle in reality worth nothing. Let the Civil List Bill be continued or repealed, it will make no difference to the country that we can see; so long as the officers perform their duties efficiently, we presume that even the Standard and its clique would be willing that they should draw their salaries, and would scarcely go the length of advocating repudiation of the colony's obligations, and once an officer is discharged then there is nothing more to be paid to him—Civil List Bill or no Civil List Bill. There are, however, we believe, some parties who have suffered by the Bill—and who are they? Why, certain popular hunting members of the late Legislative Council, who would stand a much better chance of re-election if they could promise offices to a host of hungry supporters and raise at the hustings their battle-cries, 'To the victors belong the spoils! The Standard fights shy of discussion; it still plays upon its "harp of a thousand strings" to the old tune, abuses the Civil List Bill, and asserts that we supported it.

"I do not like thee, Doctor Fell,  
 The reason why I cannot tell;  
 But I do not like thee, Doctor Fell."

So runs the old rhyme, and so runs the Standard's article with neither rhyme nor reason. And how does it prove that we supported the Bill? Why, because we ridiculed the foolish meetings, and expressed our idea that 'the people of Cariboo had something else to do without troubling their heads about such nonsense.' Just as we adhere to all we said. There are many more important subjects to occupy the attention of the next Legislature. Next, after the passage of the Bill, we were charged with saying that 'We were disappointed at not seeing the staff of the Assay Office, at least of this branch, in the Civil List Bill passed by the last Council.' Now why does not the Standard quote a few lines more from our article on the Assay Office, when we said that we trusted 'that the administration which will have the preparation of the next estimates will have the common sense not to attempt to abolish so useful an institution from any paltry spirit of fictitious economy?' We certainly were disappointed at not seeing the staff of the Cariboo Assay Office in the Civil List Bill, which had been passed some time before the date of our article, as we thought that if there was to be a Civil List at all, that office should decidedly be included. Again, the Standard accuses us of having supported Dr Carrall in

violating his pledges. We have said enough on that subject already. We supported his action on the Responsible Government question because we thought it sensible, as is proved by the attainment of the object sought.

The Standard advises the Cariboo constituency to be careful of our political teaching, and to elect no members who will not pledge themselves to vote for the repeal of the Civil List Act. We warn them to beware of Victoria political intrigues and their satellites, and to elect no man who is not pledged to vote for the amendment of the Registration Act, the abolition of the Road Tolls and obnoxious imposts in the mining districts, the adjustment of representation, the maintenance of the Assay office, the great boon of miners—and the support of the general interests of the colony at large and the mainland in particular.

## By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

## LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

## Eastern States.

CHICAGO, July 13.—The Tribune this morning makes bitter comment on the New York riot. The morning's expression of opinion is that Gov Hoffman's course was the only one consistent with his duty as chief magistrate of the State of New York. The Tribune accuses Gov Hoffman as well as Mayor Hall, and says upon him, Hoffman's head is the guilt of yesterday's massacre, because he trusted to the mob and had to be forced by public opinion into the performance of his sworn duty. The Times denounces Mayor Hall in violent terms as a traitor and coward.

NEW YORK, July 13.—At the morgue this morning, a crowd was allowed to visit the bodies of those killed in the riot yesterday, to see whether they could identify any of the dead as their friends. About 7000 people must have passed before twelve o'clock. The wounded was brought to Bellevue hospital last night, four of them died this morning. All parts of the city has been quiet to-day. The police do not apprehend any further disturbances. The conduct of the police and military is highly praised by all respectable citizens, while the killing of some innocent persons by the fire of the troops is greatly regretted, and no blame is attached to the latter on account of the occurrence, which, from the nature of the case, was perhaps unavoidable. The 84th had orders to fire before a piece was discharged. One who witnessed the whole affair stated that Capt Douglas was knocked down with a brick, and when he recovered he was dispiritedly heard to give orders to fire, which resulted in a terrible slaughter; his men had been hit and stood along the route without retaliation, until command was given them, and only then, our informant affirms, the first shot was fired. The sixth also received similar orders when the fusillade began. Our informant asserted that his statement was correct in every particular and wholly exonerates the men from the charge of opening fire on their own account. The action of Gov Hoffman in issuing his proclamation continues to be bitterly denounced among the Irish, some of whom assert that he will never live to see another Orangeman's procession. No police were killed—a report that one was shot dead is incorrect. This morning the arrested rioters were examined—each case separately and where a party was found to have committed no act and no weapon was found on his person he was discharged, if otherwise he was committed. Deaths of wounded continue to occur; about twenty per cent of the wounded cannot recover. A jury was empaneled and reviewed the bodies but no inquest will be held until the last of this or beginning of next week.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The Postmaster General to-day, received from the General Postoffice London, formally articles of the Convention negotiated by Dr. McDonald of Postoffice department for establishing postal money orders between the United States and Great Britain. The Convention was duly executed on the part of the latter, and now only awaits proper ratification here. Orders to commence on the first of October, limit for single orders is fifty dollars, other details will be duly published.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The following is a correct account of the killing of a woman and little girl, supposed to have been Mrs York and her daughter, as given by an eye witness: I was standing looking at the procession and crowd, saw a woman waving a handkerchief to the Orangemen. I thought she was very imprudent or had more courage than women generally have. Just at that moment while she was in the act of waving her handkerchief, a rifleman stepped up to her and placed the muzzle of his pistol to her ear and fired, she fell dead, he then turned around and deliberately cocking his pistol fired a bullet through the girl and she fell. I think the little girl must have been ten or twelve years of age.

## Second Dispatch.

## Exclusive to the 'Colonist.'

## Eastern States.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The Tribune will have an editorial to-morrow condemning the arrangements of the Police Commissioners, but praising the behaviour of the men as heroic. The same paper exonerates the 84th regiment entirely from blame for firing on the mob at 24th street, and says it is clear from the evidence thus far collected that if the troops in their momentary excitement had not fired when they did it shortly would have been necessary to order a volley along the whole line when, of course, destruction of life would have been much greater than it was.

The most deliberate estimate gives the number of rioters killed during the day in the vicinity of one hundred, and over one hundred and fifty were severely wounded and are in the hospital, and where those only hopelessly wounded were sent. Those slightly wounded are slipping away and hiding lest it should become known they had taken a part in the riot. Some approximate idea of the number wounded may be had—three hundred is not too high an estimate. Of course many were killed and wounded who were merely spectators and innocent of the disturbance. After the riot on Twenty-eighth street, and the dismissal of the procession and quiet restored, and the superintendent said it was all over for the present, yet it was not deemed prudent to disperse with a single safeguard, and not a man was relieved from duty. The police all behaved nobly throughout the day. Superintendent Kelso, earned the thanks of all citizens by his eager, faithful and intelligent discharge of duty—ever alert and clear-headed, going himself to the

front to fight, he fully redeemed himself long before the terrible day was done, and no chief was ever more ably and zealously served.

## LATEST.

NEW YORK, July 13.—All is quiet—over 80 persons were killed and from 300 to 400 wounded.

## Oregon.

PORTLAND, July 14.—The N. P. T. Co's steamship California, John Hayes commander, sailed at 7 p.m. yesterday for Victoria and Sitka, with the following list of passengers: Mrs Theodore Wygard and four children, Mrs Dawsell and two children, D Harvey, James Harvey, Mrs E Harvey, Miss M Harvey, Miss M A Harvey, H Everding and wife, Mrs O P Bacon and daughter.

## The Lost Heir of the Tichborne Peerage.

## EXCITING SCENE IN COURT.

A correspondent who was present in Court when the following thrilling scene occurred, furnishes a newspaper with the following graphic report:

Then followed a rigid cross examination, but nothing of importance was elicited, save the fact that just previous to his departure from England he had been paying attentions to a couple young ladies—Misses Hales and Doughty—but that the affair with the latter had been broken off.

## A MOST EXCITING SCENE.

Shortly afterward occurred in Court. The case had already been crowded with sensations and surprises, but ten words pronounced by the plaintiff in his cross-examination gave such a shock to the aristocratic crowd, which filled every inch of the Court-room, that for once they

## FORGOT THEIR GOOD BREEDING.

Sir Roger Tichborne, when an officer in the army, and before he set forth on his wanderings, fell in love with his cousin Kate Doughty. Their attachment was disapproved of by the father of the young lady, and the engagement between them was broken off. Sir Roger then made up his mind to leave England; but before he went he made a will, and also wrote a certain paper of 'private instructions.' These two papers he sealed up in an envelope and gave them to an attorney named Gotsford. When the claimant in the suit (who claims to be Sir Roger) returned to England he demanded the packet of Gotsford; the latter refused to deliver it, and the claimant then said he could tell

## WHAT THE PACKET CONTAINED.

When this suit came on the claimant's counsel subpoenaed Gotsford to produce the packet. He again refused to do so. Little more was said about the packet in the trial until to-day. The plaintiff was disinclined to say much about it, and his counsel, in his direct examination, did not ask him many questions concerning it. To understand the scene, it must be remembered that this Miss Kate Doughty is now married and is Mrs Radcliffe; that she was one of the strongest opponents of the plaintiff's cause, and that she was in Court with her husband. Imagine, then, the effect when the plaintiff, cross-examined by the opposing counsel, compelled to say against his own repeated and earnest protest, what were the contents of the paper accompanying the will in the

## MYSTERIOUS PACKET.

At last announced that he had seduced his cousin Kate, and that the paper contained instructions as to what was to be done in case after his departure, she should prove to be *enfant*. This disclosure was like a bomb-shell exploding in the Court-room—it must have been unexpected by every one except the parties most nearly concerned, and the effect was startling. He testified that he had been able to fix the date of a

## CERTAIN OCCURRENCE.

By remembering that when it occurred he was paying his addresses to Miss Hales.

Solicitor-General—About what time before the engagement was broken off was it that you first saw your cousin?

Witness—About November or December. It was at Tichborne. I told her it was quite impossible I could marry her.

After what her father had said to me, I can't remember what she said to me at the time. I had just come back from hunting, and got off my horse. I led it and walked beside Miss Doughty. These are matters which I am very reluctant to mention in the Court unless I am forced.

Solicitor-General—There are two parties in the matter, and on the part of the other one you are emancipated, as I have told you before.

Witness—We had a

## LONG CONVERSATION.

That is all I recollect. It is very difficult for me to recollect the whole of a conversation twenty years ago. I am quite willing to repeat anything I remember. I cannot recollect more of the conversation. I never saw her after that.

Lord Chief Justice—Was there any actual 'engagement' between yourself and Miss Doughty?

Witness—It was an understood thing, but it was not known to my uncle, and when he heard of it he

## BECAME VERY ANGRY.

To the best of my recollection I did not write to Lady Doughty about the 'breaking off' but I cannot recollect for certain.

You swore in February 1863, that the document was to be noted on in one event which you knew had not happened, and one which you hoped had not happened. What was the event that you knew had not happened?

My returning

## BEFORE HER MARRIAGE.

I suppose. I don't know what event I referred to, it must have been that, but I will not swear to it. It was the event of my death, I suppose, which I knew had not happened.

Lord Chief Justice—What was the event you hoped had not happened? A—I have a great reluctance to say. If you press me the result must be on your own head.

Lord Chief Justice—What was the event you hoped had not happened? I think you ought not to compel me to answer that. It is not for my own sake at all.

Lord Chief Justice—What was the event you hoped had not happened? A—The confinement of Miss Doughty.

## THE SCENE.

Lord Chief Justice—Do you mean to swear before the judge and jury that you had seduced your cousin Kate? A—I most solemnly to my God swear that I had.

Lord Chief Justice—This lady (pointing to Mrs Radcliffe) A—That lady.

Solicitor-General—Let it be distinctly understood that Mrs Radcliffe is here by her own wish.

Sergeant Ballantine—You know you have no right to say that.

Solicitor-General—When and where? A—It happened at the mill.

Q—When? A—Not long after I came from Ireland.

Q—When? A—About the month of July or

August.

Q—What year? A—1852.

Q—Give us some nearer date than that, A. The latter end of July or beginning of August. The mill almost faces the house—Tichborne house.

Q—This was in July or August, and you left the March following. Do you mean to swear that you left her with child? A—She wished to impress that upon me.

Q—When you say her in the village, you never saw her after that, you say? A—No, it was not there.

I MUST HAVE SEEN HER AFTERWARD.

Q—When? A—In November or about November.

Q—Where? At Tichborne? A—I don't remember where exactly.

Solicitor-General—What was in the sealed document? Witness—Mr Gotsford was instructed to have the cottages at Prior Dean repaired, he had also instructions as to what to do in the event of

MISS DOUGHTY BEING CONFINED.

There were instructions to take full charge in the event of my uncle's and father's deaths. He was to make preparations for Miss Doughty to go to Scotland, he was also to prepare Upton House for her. There was a great deal more but I cannot bear the whole in my mind. There were instructions about the estates and lots of things. He was to keep a home farm on. I cannot remember anything else. I wrote down yesterday what I remembered of it. This memoranda was read. It said: 'If my cousin should prove to be *enfant*, you are to make all necessary arrangements for her going to Scotland, and see that Upton is properly prepared until my return or her marriage. You are to show great kindness to her—to let her have everything she requires. If she remains single till I come back

I WILL MARRY HER.

In the event of my uncle's and father's deaths you are to take full charge, you are to retain the home farm and repair the cottages at Prior's Dean.

Witness—I don't recollect anything else material.

Q—On your oath did Roger Tichborne ever see Miss Doughty after the 22d of June, 1852? A—On my oath I have.

Q—I mean before your return? A—That is understood. I adhere to my statements as to when the engagement was broken off, notwithstanding the letters.

Q—Do I understand that you have on you no tattoo marks at this moment? A—None to my knowledge.

After this Miss Bradon is nowhere. No doubt we shall hear something still more strange when Mrs Radcliffe, nee Kate Doughty, comes to give her testimony.

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